Richmond Lost Millions
During last year over $80,000,000 investments in new industrial enterprises went to neighboring towns instead of Richmond, because they improved their waterfronts and had sites and shipping facilities to offer and Richmond did not. A small investment in improvement now means millions.

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Hickville Government
Richmond is years behind the times in its municipal system of government. Its methods are those of the country village, hence it remains a big, over-grown country town, instead of forging ahead into a city as others do. It should have five commissioners, all elected at-large and employed all the time.

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DANIELS FOR IMPROVEMENT OF S. F. BAY

Troops Called Out in Tokio —Constantinople Occupied by Allied Troops—Dry Law Argument — Hetch Hetchy Bond Deal Off—Atlanta Has Cold Wave—Ask Bids for Hog Island.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Establishment of another navy yard on San Francisco bay was advocated today before the House naval affairs committee by Secretary of the Navy Daniels. A progam of extension of naval facilities on the Pacific coast was outlined to care for the Pacific fleet.

TOKIO STRIKE CALLS TROOPS INTO ACTION

LONDON, March 8.—Reports of disorders and sabotage in Tokio have been received at Tien Tsin, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Tien Tsin today. The street railway employes in Tokio were threatening a general strike when the cablegram was sent. The Japanese government moved heavy forces of troops into the districts most seriously affected, according to a news agency dispatch from Tokio. It added that some of the strikers had returned to work after extensive rioting.

HETCH HETCHY BONDS DECLARED ILLEGAL

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—The proposed plan of selling Hetch Hetchy bonds to local banks and brokers on an exchange deal for government securities was declared off today, when City Attorney George Lull filed a written opinion that the plan was illegal.

Lull's opinion was backed up by an opinion from Judge John C. Thomson of New York, fiscal expert for the city.

As a result of this legal veto of the plan, a conference was immediately called by Mayor James Rolph Jr. and the critical situation confronting the Hetch Hetchy builders gone into.

ATLANTA IS SWEPT BY FRIGID WAVE

ATLANTA, Ga., March 8.—With a temperature of sixteen degrees above zero today records for cold weather in March since 893 were broken.

Today lacked but three degrees of equaling the coldest day of the winter. Snow was reported as far south this morning as Pensacola, Fla., and New Orleans, but the snow there soon melted.

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SPRINGTIME SPROUTS

The greatest need of the world today is honesty.

It is time now the women were thrifty as well as nifty.

Don't seem to be much excitement over vice president.

If it should be Hoover will we again have to Hooverize?

Europe thinks Uncle Sam is a pawnbroker uncle.

Presidential bees and humbugs are both buzzing.

Some are 1000 per cent profiteer and 0 per cent American.

A Secretary of the Air is proposed. What's the matter with Congress?

Takes a brave man to commit matrimony these H. C. L. times.

Everybody wants a raise, but how will we raise the raise?

8,000,000 Bolshevik farmers have joined the army to avoid work.

Will the ouija board please bring down the price of paper?

The government has informed soldiers they are dead who refuse to believe it.

BODY FOUND IN BAY STILL UNIDENTIFIED

The body of the man taken from San Pablo bay late Sunday afternoon has not yet been identified by the local authorities.

The body was spied early Saturday afternoon, but due to the rising tide could not be reached till late Sunday afternoon. The body was buried to the knees in the mud of the slough and it was found necessary to lower a rope over the shoulders in order to get the body from the water. No means of identification were found, there being nothing in the pockets of the clothes but an old blue bandana handkerchief. The man had worn no coat or vest and none of the other garments had any distinguishing features. According to the members of the party which rescued the body, it was dressed in an old pair of blue overalls and a dark shirt, and appeared to be that of a seaman.

Deputy Coroner F. H. Nash, who was a member of the party, stated that the man had apparently been dead about a month.

INCOME TAX REPORTS ALL DUE THIS WEEK

According to advices from the office of the deputy internal revenue collector, all income tax reports must be filed this week. Those who have yet to file reports should see Mr. S. Drinkhouse, deputy internal revenue collector, who is located in the George Lee offices, Room 6, Pillow building.

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SCHOOL BOND MEETING IS TONIGHT

The Public Is Invited by the Chamber of Commerce and Board of Education to Be on Hand and Learn All About the Proposed $600,000 Bond Issue, It Is the Duty of All to Attend.

There will be a public meeting tonight, commencing at 7 o'clock, at the Lincoln auditorium, for the purpose of going into all the details and discussing the proposed $600,000 issue of bonds for the schools.

The Chamber of Commerce has brought this meeting about and the members of the School Board, Prof. Helms and others will be on hand to answer all questions put to them concerning this very important [illegible] that there will be plenty of [illegible] for the average taxpayer is ignorant about the details of school administration and needs, and all want to know why such a large amount of money is needed, and what is to be done with it if the people vote it.

This meeting will be very interesting, and it is the duty of those who have the taxes to pay to attend and get information on all the details. You should all know all about these matters, for they reflect upon the lives of the children and the pocketbooks of all taxpayers. These are things which every man and every woman should seek to become informed upon, and not neglect it and then roar about what is done afterward.

The sum of $600,000 seems a big sum to be needed at this time, and yet the School Board assures us it is needed to bring the schools down to date and to provide for the needs of the growing school attendance, which is several thousands now.

Our leading men and women will be on hand tonight and see to it that a complete showdown as to all details is made clear, so all can know and understand.

It is to be hoped the people will turn out largely to this gathering, so that when they go to the polls to vote on this bond issue they will know just what it is for and all about it.

Father Fletcher To Speak Saturday

The event of the coming St. Patrick's day celebration to be held next Saturday night at the Richmond clubhouse will be the address by Father Francis Fletcher, who knows from personal experience much of the inner workings of the fight Ireland is making for independence.

A program of vocal and instrumental music is being prepared by a competent committee. Irish jigs and reels will be among the features of the evening.

The entertainment will close with a drive for the sale of Irish republic bonds.

STOCK DIVIDENDS NOT TAXABLE SAYS COURT

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Stock dividends may not be taxed as income, the supreme court held today in declaring unconstitutional the provisions of the 1916 income tax act taxing as income such dividends declared by corporations out of earnings and profits accruing after March 1, 1913.

Under the court's ruling, the federal government must refund millions of dollars in taxes collected on stock dividends since the 1916 law became effective. Internal revenue bureau officials said today the exact total of the refunds could not be estimated at this time, and that it would not be known until all claims had been filed and computed.

The court upheld federal court decrees denying the authority of Congress to tax stock dividends and awarding to Myrtle H. Macomber $113[illegible] which she had paid under protest on 1300 shares of [illegible] stock received in January, 1916, as a stock dividend from the Standard Oil Company of California.

EL CERRITO BLAMES FOR OUIJA CRAZE

Preaching Sunday to but a handful of worshippers in the Methodist mission at El Cerrito, and almost within the shadow of the "mystery house" of ouija fame, Rev. Wilmer [illegible], former Albany and Berkeley pastor, attacked the ouija board and planchette craze as attributed last week's scandal to the absence of religious teaching in the community. Upon the residents of the city of 1500 he placed the responsibility for the spread of a belief in the supernatural and held that they were to blame for not supporting religious activities.

Other ministers in the bay cities joined Coffman in denouncing the ouija board and its users. At First Presbyterian church Dr. Frank Silsley declared that "People who consult the ouija board rather than Christ are displaying a yellow streak." At Calvary Presbyterian church in San Francisco Rev. Joseph Sibley referred to a belief in the board with the comment:

"One might as well fancy we would soon be back in an era where graveyard ghosts would make the hair rise on end at every venture in the dark."

Dr. Coffman, who has taken over the El Cerrito mission and is serving without a salary, did not mince his words in telling El Cerrito residends that they were to blame for a condition that had resulted in the committing of four women to insane asylums and disrupting three homes.

MACCABEE LADIES TO MEET

The Maccabee ladies will meet on the corner of Sixth and Macdonald avenue this evening at 7 o'clock and take the car for Oakland, where they will be the guests of Oakland Review, No. 14.

BUILDING PERMIT ISSUED

W. B. Thurman has been issued a permit for the erection of two modern cottages on Eighth street, between Lucas and Lincoln streets. The cottages are to cost $3500 each.

UTILITY DIST. ORDINANCE TALKED

Proposed Proposition to Place Water Problem Before People Laid Over One Week—Alameda Calls Meeting—Commission at Last Makes Report—Other Items.

Berkeley's proposed ordinance calling for an election to determine whether the cities of Berkeley and Richmond form a water district came up before the council for its second reading last night and was laid over one week. It transpires that the water commission has at last found its tongue, and are to submit a full report of its findings some time in April. This report, it seems, will be complete—embodying data already known and much that is not. The water question is unquestionably a vital one and not to be considered hastily, but given deep consideration in all its angles before being put to a vote of the people. Alameda has long considered this situation, and will this week call a meeting of members of bay city councils to consider plans. [illegible] the present ordinance before that council was held up. The ordinance reads:

"Be it ordained by the council of the City of Richmond as follows:

"Section 1. That it is hereby declared that the public interest requires the incorporation by the City of Richmond jointly with the City of Berkeley, County of Alameda, State of California, of a public utility district, under the Public Utility Act of the Legislature of the State of California, providing for the incorporation of public utility districts by muncipalities, etc., approved May 27th, 1915 (Chap. 531, Statutes of 1915).

"Sec. 2. That the proposed district include only the City of Richmond and said City of Berkeley.

"Sec. 3. That the name of the proposed district shall be the Berkeley-Richmond Public Utility District.

"Sec. 4. That the Council of the City of Richmond shall submit to the qualified electors of the City of Richmond the proposition for forming said Berkeley-Richmond Public Utility District at a special municipal election to be held on Tuesday, May 4, 1920, in said City of Richmond."

The reason Berkeley wishes the passage of this document is that the provisions of its charter make it imperative that action be taken at the May primary.

R. V. Howard and G. W. Mesic were granted a pool hall license.

On action of the council, all proceedings ordering work done on Forty-seventh street, under Contract No. 355, held by G. W. Cushing, were rescinded and the contract nullified.

Mrs. Wilson appeared before the council requesting the purchase of army bacon. The council decided to order 500 cases for public sale.

Arc lights will be installed at Tenth and Cutting, Thirtieth and Cutting and Eighth and Ohio

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THE BRIGHT SIDE

Surgeon—This man's injuries are very peculiar. How did he get hurt?

Attendant—He was a chauffeur before he enlisted, and when the mule stopped he crawled under it to see what was the matter.

Financial Note

Sunday School Teacher—What do we mean when we speak of borrowing from Peter to pay Paul?

Willie Wise—I guess we mean that Peter is an easy mark.

A Fifty-fifty Irishman

In his book, "From Gallipoli to Bagdad," "Padre" William Ewing tells the story of a burly Irishman brought into the field hospital suffering from many wounds.

"What are you?" asked the doctor.

"Sure, I'm half an Irishman."

"And what's the other half?"

"Holes and bandages."

LANDLORD'S INCOME SUBJECT TO TAX

The high rentals of 1919 will place many thousands of property owners in the taxpayer's class this year. For all rents are subject to income tax, and must be considered in connection with other income in figuring the taxable income.

[illegible] 1040 and [illegible] income tax forms [illegible] section wherein rentals must be reported. The allowable deductions from rents for taxes, repairs, wear and tear, and other costs are defined on the return form.

Those who rented rooms or suites in their own homes must consider [illegible] received as part of their income.

If the rents plus [illegible] come, received by an unmarried person, was $1000 or more, a return must be filed; similarly, rents plus other income received by a married couple in an amount of $200 or more must be reported on an income tax return.

Returns and payments must reach the collector of internal revenue by March 15, 1920.

NEGRO IS ARRESTED FOR THEFT OF COAT

George Stewart, a negro, was arrested late Saturday night on a charge of stealing a coat, valued at $85, from Miss Gladys McCracken, who is associated with the Eagles' carnival, which has been going on here.

Stewart at once confessed to the theft of the coat and told the police that he had disposed of the garment. He is being held in the city jail to await is trial, a definite date for which has not yet been set.

Y. M. C. A. WILL CAMP THIS SUMMER

Local Leaders Hear State Director of Community Work —Y May Get Playgrounds —W. O. W. to Send Delegation to Reno—New Members Initiated by W. O. W.

That the older generation should forget themselves and devote themselves more to the betterment of the boy life of the nation was the message brought by Mr. J. Duffie, the state director of Y. M. C. A. community work, in his speech made before the Y. M. C. A. leaders here last night. Unless the grown-ups look out for the needs of the growing boys—the men of tomorrow—the nation cannot expect to make the maximum amount of progress, he said.

The local Y. M. C. A. has a well filled program this year if the organization is able to carry into execution all the plans which have been made so far.

A playground large enough to accommodate a quarter-mile race-track will be laid out this summer on some of the land at First and Bissell streets owned by the Santa Fe. railroad if the negotiations [illegible] the Y. leaders are now [illegible] agement [illegible] to advices [illegible] out last [illegible] These playgrounds as planned will be thoroughly equipped with all kinds of recreation devices.

It is planned to send a delegation of boys to Modesto to represent the Richmond Y. M. C. A. in the Life Work convention, which will be held in Modesto March 26-27. [illegible] ability the boys of the Richmond Y. [illegible] will take their summer camping trip [illegible] Lake, in Lake county, this summer. This camping site is one of the finest in the state. All the equipment necessary to a summer camp is already on the rounds. The Richmond boys will use the camping equipment of the Berkeley Y. M. C. A., which is already in place and which is adequate for the accommodation of seventy boys. The trip will be taken some time the last of July and will last for ten days.

WOODMEN OF WORLD INITIATE

Log Cabin Camp, No. 637, Woodmen of the World, held an initiation last night in the W. O. W. hall, 707 Macdonald avenue. The following new members were initiated: P. Thurbon, Andrew Peters, P. M. Kane, B. Kubuk and George Adams.

One of the numbers on the program for the evening was the performance given by the drill team which came from Wedgewood Camp of Berkeley to participate in the

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THE PAPER OF THE WORKING PEOPLE

TIME FOR SOBER THOUGHT

In the humble judgment of this scribe right now is a time for some deep and sober thinking on the part of all the people, and yet all evidences point to the conclusion that they are doing less of that kind of thinking than they ever did. Otherwise they would not continue on this spendthrift debauch.

Burning up money like a Coal Oil Johnny is always a boomerang that flies back and knocks the burner silly. It has never failed yet and it is not going to fail this time. This inflation is abnormal, and anything abnormal adjusts itself sooner or later. Things inflatable are always filled with gas or wind, and that is just exactly what this present balloon is inflated with—bank credit and hot air. The puncture is due to arrive inside of a year, and the sensible man and woman will get ready for it now, while the fish and fools who have no brains or judgment will go right on hitting the high places up to the last minute, and then when the crash comes be out of both job and money.

The drunk is not confined to the working classes, although they are doing their full part, but infects every walk and class. Profiteering and dishonest dealing also infects all classes, and the dispatches are full every day of greed, graft, dishonorable actions and dishonest commercialism. There was never anything like it in the history of the world before, and if old Diogenes were out with his lantern looking for honest men now he would have a similar job to that of the thousands of government sleuths out searching for concealed booze.

Modern commercialism, in our humble judgment, is like a canker on the body politic—a festering sore of greed and selfishness that is eating into the soul of mankind. The wars that have recently been slaughtering millions and almost devastating the world were caused by nothing else but selfishness, greed for gain and commercialism.

Lust for power and gain has butchered more human beings than any other cause since the dawn of history, and we are still at it, doing in nations what we would be hanged for if done as individuals. All history, from the Old Testament papers, are records [illegible] savage onsets, robberies of unoffending neighbors, extermination of whole peoples, rebellions, religious intolerance, fanatical ferocity, brutal conquests and wholesale murder, and yet today with all our boasted civilization, [illegible] and Christianity the only [illegible] we have made is that we have invented new and awful engines of death with which we can kill thousands instead of hundreds in the same length of time.

Modern wars have slaughtered more men than our packing houses have cattle, sheep and hogs, and all because of lust for gain, greed and human selfishness. Speed the day when Christ's teachings instead of man's devilishness shall prevail.

What is the solution? If one keeps in business and mixes into the game of commercialism as it is played today, and wins at the game, greed, selfishness and dishonesty have got to be mixed into it as ingredients necessary to the winning. Not one man out of a hundred who makes a success in business today, under the prevailing systems, can keep clean, upright, honest, honorable and untainted. You can't handle coal without getting your fingers black.

We realize fully that "playing the game" is what accomplishes great things, builds great cities, creates vast empires and makes the mighty wheels of progress go round. We have no roar against "the game," as such, but at the damnable dishonesty and dishonor it creates as it is played these modern days.

Go to it, young folks, and enjoy yourselves, and build more cities, create more empires, accumulate fortunes, love, laugh, marry, rear children, fight, struggle, make business, do business and "play the game," but for God's sake and humanity's sake, keep as clean and unsmutted as possible. Don't take the money if it's tainted; don't barter virtue or principle for gold or its equivalent; don't be unable to look your fellow man square in the eye; don't let lust for coin or power, greed, selfishness and the rottenness of modern commercialism canker your heart or rust your soul—because if you do you will eventually look back and conclude that there is grave doubt as to whether "playing the game" is worth while.

And in the meantime, come down out of the clouds and act like rational and sensible human beings. Also, pause right now and do a little sober thinking, for just as sure as the pendulum always swings back, just so sure is it that this bubble is going to "bust," inside of a year, and perhaps within six months. The great financiers know this and are preparing for it. Are you? Not unless you are an exception to the general average.

THINKOGRAPHS

She tried to spurn.
He wouldn't listen.
Now he is hern,
And she is hisn.

The congressional idea of war is that it is not only hell but conversation.

The American dollar is only worth 50 cents in merchandise or labor here at home, but it is worth a bushel of pounds, crowns, lires, francs and marks.

Irrespective of what the bondholders may think, the ultimate consumer is glad to see foreign exchange tumbling, and it has his consent to keep right on tumbling.

W. J. Love, purchasing agent for the Shipping Board, sold to himself rugs from the German seized ships for $3 apiece which are worth from $50 to $100 apiece. Is anybody honest any more? Don't seem so.

Ha, ha! And ha, ha, some more! The robbery prices the manufacturers [illegible] getting from Europe, at the expense of the American consumer, turns out to be loaded at the other end. Europe is bankrupt and its money is n. g.

The treasury department at Washington, insisting upon neatness, is allowing its special agents $1 a week to keep their suits in order and their trousers pressed. Fine. But, er—are there no lady special agents?

This thing of [illegible] establishing a new political party to follow the established order of things every time some fellow's liver is out of order is being worked over time and should be discouraged.

If the men who save the nation in the old accustomed way, piling up, without vacation, heaps of language day by day, would forsake the verbal byways, dump their elocution wares, and do stunts upon the highways, we'd have splendid thoroughfares.

That the German officers demanded for trial and punishment by the allies are the worst lot of hellions the world ever produced is agreed upon, but as to whether they will ever be brought to justice for their crimes is doubtful. Most of them have fled to other countries and are hiding out under assumed names.

An irate subscriber stormed in today and said a wicked sinner like we ought not to write a temperance lesson and other sermons. It is the wicked sinner who knows about sin, and the fellow who has soaked in enough booze to float the U. S. navy is the best calculated to point out its evils.

The proposed new labor party cannot win, for two reasons. First, it would be a minority party and both the old majority parties would fight it. Second, labor itself would not support it more than partially. Labor would not unite upon any one political creed any more than it would upon any one religious creed.

Reports of the committee on airplane results during the war, and discussion by Congress of the same, lead nowhere in particular, as usual, except to some new names the members called each other. Summed up, the whole disgraceful mess shows inefficiency, irresponsibility and profligate waste of money. A billion dollars were spent and not one-fourth of that prodigious amount was achieved in results.

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Irish Loan Plans Are Completed

The Richmond division of the American Commission on Irish Independence has completed all arrangements for the loan campaign which is to be carried on this month, according to Robert K. Cofrey, the local chairman.

The campaign is for the purpose of procuring funds to permit the Dail Eireann (Irish republic) to function as a government. This government, elected by four-fifths of the people in Ireland, irrespective of creed, intends to develop the mines, fisheries and educational institutions, which have in the past been hampered by adverse legislation. The total loan necessary to carry on the work already started amounts to $25,000,000, of which $7,000,000 has been subscribed by the people of Ireland and is being used for development purposes under the direction of the Irish congress.

On next Thursday night, Samuel M. Shortridge, the noted orator of San Francisco, will speak on "The Right of Ireland to a Self-Government," at the Lincoln auditorium. The public is invited to the mass meeting.

A committee of arrangements, consisting of E. M. Downer, Mayor [illegible] Long, Rev. P. M. Griffin, Mrs. Marie L. Ogborn, [illegible] Galvin and Harry Marcus, will be in charge of the meeting.

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ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night in Bank Hall, Eighth street and Macdonald avenue. C. Belcher, Noble Grand. Phone 753. Harry Summerville, Recording Secretary. Phone 540.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Log Cabin Camp No. 637 meets every Monday in W. O. W. Hall, 707 Macdonald Avenue. Consul Commander, H. B. Hollenbaugh, residence 239 4th street; Clerk, H. L. Springer, residence 101 Ohio St.

NOTICE

George Calligaros and Mike Kentrotis, formerly of the Gold Mine restaurant, have purchased the One Minute Chop House, 503 Sixteenth street, and will take possession Sunday, March 7.

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meeting of the Richmond body. This drill team is to give an exhibition next Tuesday night at the T. and D. theater in Oakland for the purpose of raising funds to send representatives to the head camp session, which will be held in Reno some time late in July. Arrangements have been made with the management of the Oakland T. and D. theater so that the house will be turned over to the Berkeley relegation for the entire evening.

Last night's meeting was marked by an exceptionally good turnout on the part of the nechers of the organization.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS MEET

Maple Camp, No. 4027, met last night at 8 o'clock in the K. P. hall. After the regular business session a program was given. A good crowd was in attendance.

MEETING OF I. O. O. F.

Eclipse Lodge, No. 403, I. O. O. F., held its regular meeting last night in the lodge quarters in Bank hall.

CALFEE HELI'S INVESTIGATION

Rev. D. W. Calfee, in company with the state humane officer, went to Walnut Creek yesterday to investigate a case of cruelty that had come from there. The case was that of a horse that had been worked with sore shoulders and was badly underfed. No action was taken in the case, as the owner of the animal promised to give the horse a rest until his shoulders healed and feed him grain as well as hay.

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City Council

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streets.

An ordinance amending Section 15 of Ordinance 409, covering gratituous licenses, was given its first reading.

Plans and specifications for the improvement of Wall avenue between Forty-first and the city limits were approved.

A. M. Feary Co. were granted a master plumber's license.

Firemen were granted permission to sell tickets for their dance on April 10.

INCOME TAX ADVISER

Your reports accurately prepared and acknowledged. Phone Richmond 426. D. Barton, Rooms 6,7, 607 Macdonald avenue. 28-tf

CURRY THANKS FRIENDS

R. H. Curry, of the Richmond Soda Works, whose place of business was threatened by fire Sunday night, desires to thank the Richmond fire department for their promptness in responding to the alarm, and also his many friends who helped carry his effects to a place of safety. What might have been a disastrous loss was lessened to a minimum through the efficient work of the Richmond fire department.

NOTICE

The One Minute Chop House has changed hands and all bills against it will be paid at the Mechanics Bank on or before March 15.

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35c Tins Minced Pineapple	29c
Crisco	35c, 50c, 93c, $1.95
Mazola Oil	40c, 75c, $1.40 and $2.59
2 Cans Libby's Sauerkraut	29c
2 Cans Del Monte Hominy	29c
6 lbs. Small White Beans	50c
2 pkgs. Kellogg's Corn Flakes	25c
2 pkgs. Grape Nuts	35c
2 Large Sperry's Pancake Flour	65c
3 pkgs. Germea	50c
1 Gallon Tins Ripe Olives	$1.19
1 lb. Tin Ghiradelli's Chocolate	37c
Fresh Ranch Eggs	37c and 42c
Dr. Price's Jelly Dessert, 6 for	50c
6 Bars Palm Olive Soap	50c
10 Bars Sweet Marie Toilet Soap	29c
5 Large Toilet Paper, only	25c
2 lbs. Sure-Pop Popcorn	29c
3 lbs. Almonds	95c
3 lbs. Walnuts	95c
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TWO MARKETS

Local Laconics Ot Richmondites

The local branch of the W. C. T. U. will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kate Miller, 1826 Clinton avenue.

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A whist party will be given by the Pythian Sisters, Contra Costa Temple, No. 113, next Saturday evening. The committee in charge of the affair consists of Mrs. Grace Browning, chairman; Mrs. Carrie Sargent, Mrs. Fannie Gregory, Mrs. Anna Bowyer.

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Mrs. Charles St. John, 326 Second street, went to Berkeley yesterday to attend the funeral of Judge Corcoran, a former superior court judge of Mariposa county. Judge Corcoran was well known in California, where he spent the greater part of his long life.

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Mrs. Mabel Dant, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. D. F. Miner, 317 South Sixth street, leaves tomorrow for her home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sanford are home from a winter's travel and are living in Berkeley, but will build another home in Richmond. They visited the East, Middle West, Mexico and lots of places, and boosted chmond all the time. Mr. Sanford is opening an office again on the Avenue, down near Twenty-third.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Engelking and kiddies, all of "ye editorial family," moved yesterday into their own home, out on Ninth near Roosevelt and near door to the home property recently purchased by Mr. Willard and Marcia Poage, also of the same family. Our two daughters are now happy as clams in high water, in homes of their own and next door to each other, where it will be handy to borrow a cup of sugar, an egg or some other luxury. Incidentally, this editor sees where he can drop around and swipe a cup of coffee occasionally.

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Tickets for the annual firemen's benefit dance, to be held at East Shore park on April 10, are being placed on sale today.

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The proceeds of this dance do not go to any one person or group, but are laid aside to form a fund for the benefit of injured and sick firemen and their families and the firemen hope to make the affair a success financially in order that the fund may be as large as possible.

March 17th is to be St. Patrick's day in the morning, and all day. And not a drap of the "crature" in sight! Tom Carlton, Coffey and Dan Barton state that they propose to drive every snake off the townsite on that date, and Jack Thornton is trying to get McCarthy and Sam Shortridge to come over from the City and help. Get out the green and the shamrock!

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Mrs. B. Stocker, 224 South Second street, who has been sick with the flu, has so far recovered as to be out of bed to receive her many friends.

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Now that spring is at hand Richmond has awakened from her winter's lethargy and real estate is lookin upward. During the last sixty days Conn Brothers, real estate agents on Sixth street, have sold over $45,000 worth of city and county property.

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The "J. J." club enjoyed a flower gathering expedition Saturday afternoon. The "J. J." is a new club and this was its first meeting. Games were enjoyed and a substantial luncheon out of doors was had. Those who went on the flower hunt were: Viola Barrett, Mary Swindell, Alice and Grace Haigh, Linore Carlisle, Leonora Smith, Lorence Jones, Gayle Estes and Frances Vidal.

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The ladies of the G. A. R. will hold a meeting at Pythian Castle tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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Senator Jim Owens says he is out of politics for good and all, and wouldn't speak to a politic if he met it in the road. He is busy now developing his Texas oil interests and says the outlook is good for a big flow.

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William Harold Anderson and Myrtle Ellen Watson, both from Dentwood, were married last evening at the parsonage of the First Christian church. Rev. Thomas A. Boyer officiated. The ceremony was witnessed by Mrs. Thomas A. Boyer and Miss Margaret Noble. The young couple will make their future home at Dentwood.

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A postal from "Ma" Breck says they are pleasantly located at San Diego, at 4620 Thirtieth street, and sends kind regards to all the old friends." We trust "Dad" will be on his good behavior now in the southern city and not forget to boost occasionally for Richmond.

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The new brick buildings going up on Macdonald avenue are fast assuming shape and give an appearance of building activity good to note. It is that way all over the city, also, notwithstanding the cost of building.

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Adkison & McRacken are moving into the store building recently vacated by the Jones dry goods store.

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There is nothing doing over at the municipal wharf just now and has not been a ship in for some time. Unless we get busy and finish that harbor job this town is going to be out a million on what it has already done.

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Every man and woman who is a taxpayer should be at the school bond meeting tonight if possible. Get posted on this matter, so you will know where you are at. There is generally too much left to guess work.

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Ed. Ebsen, editor of the Pinole Times, says all women look like Helen Blazes when they first get up in the morning. Look here, you old cumgrudeon, you are a single man and not supposed to know how a woman looks early in the morning. First thing you know you will give yourself dead away.

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All over town the talk is that the men will shave themselves as soon as the local barbers raise the price to 35 cents. One of the smartest things in this world is to know when to let well enough alone, but many people do not know that much.

Moore Featured In Artcraft Picture

Matt Moore, one of the famous Moore "boys," who himself has a stage and screen record for achievements scarcely to be equaled by any actor of his years now before the public, is brought prominently into the plot of the Paramount-Artcraft special "The Dark Star," in which he is splendidly cast as Prince Alak. "The Dark Star," featuring Marion Davies, will be shown at the Richmond theater today.

Matt Moore was born in Ireland in 1888. He was educated in Cleveland, O., and as a boy he showed remarkable histrionic talent. For seven years he played on the legitimate stage, playing opposite Florence Lawrence, Marion Leonard and others. He directed many of the earlier Universal subjects and played opposite Mary Fuller for a long time.

Notable among his screen successes are "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," "The Pride of the Clan," "A Studio Cinderella," "Breaking the Family Strike," "She Married Her Husband," "One Bride Too Many," "Runaway Romany," "Still Jim," etc. His recent work in Marshall Neilan's "Unpardonable Sin" is exceptionally fine.

FINED $100 EACH

John Sutich, a grocer of Point Richmond, and his wife, Anna Sutich, both of whom were arrested some time ago on a charge of violating the liquor laws, entered a plea of guilty in the federal court in San Francisco yesterday and were fined $100 each.

RICHMOND CLUB PROGRAM

"A Day at Etiquette" was the humorous title of the jolly program enjoyed by the members of the Richmond club at the clubhouse on Nevin street yesterday afternoon. The program was in charge of Mrs. W. D. Hartley. Papers were read by Mrs. G. Milnes, Mrs. Billy Brown and Mrs. Schramm. The afternoon wound up with tea and light refreshments.

TELEGRAPH

The weather bureau predicts a rapid rise of the mercury.

CONSTANTINOPLE IS OCCUPIED BY ALLIES

PARIS, March 8.—Constantinople is actually occupied by allied troops under provision of the armistice, it is pointed out by the Petit Parisien this morning, which says that city is headquarters of General Franchet D'Esperey, and there are in the city one division and one brigade of French troops.

In addition there are in Constantinople one regiment of Italian and a battalion of British troops, and there are other British forces in the region of the straits.

A British division is spread over Anatoloi, between Scutari and Brusa, while the French have a division in Western Thrace, the newspaper says.

DRY LAW ARGUMENT IN SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Legality of several portions of the enforcement act as well as the general question of the constitutionality of the prohibition amendment to the constitution were involved in arguments today in the supreme court. The question of constitutionality is involved in the original proceedings brought by the state of Rhode Island to have the amendment declared invalid and its enforcement enjoined. With the court's permission, Elihu Root today filed a brief on behalf of the United States Brewers' association in opposition to the government's motion to dismiss the Rhode Island case. The brief asked that the amendment be declared invalid and that the court hold the enforcement act unenforcible in Rhode Island.

SHIPPING BOARD TO ASK SHIPYARD BIDS

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Bids for the purchase of the shipyard and other facilities at Hog Island, Philadelphia, will be asked by the shipping board tomorrow, Chairman Payne announced today. Each bidder will be asked to submit his own terms for the purchase of the yard and the bids probably will be opened March 30. The Hog Island yard is estimated by board officials to have cost the government $65,000,000.

And now the Irish are to start a drive, and we don't know what to do. We don't dare tread on the tail of an Irishman's coat, and so will probably pungle up another five-spot.

CURRY SODA WORKS DAMAGED BY FIRE

The Curry Soda Bottling Works at Twelfth and Ohio streets was slightly damaged by fire, which started in the rear of the building, at about 3 o'clock Sunday morning.

Prompt action of the fire department saved the building before any serious damage had resulted. No. 1 engine and No. 2 hose cart, as well as a chemical outfit, were employed in extinguishing the flames.

The total damage done approximates $50, which loss is fully covered by insurance.

Modern Flat For Richmond Tennants

A much needed want is at last to be filled in Richmond. John A. Eybel, formerly of Colusa, but now of this city, has recently given to the California Building company of Oakland the contract for the construction of a new sixty room apartment house on Seventh, between Macdonald and Bissell. The rooms will be divided into eighteen three-room apartments and three two-room apartments.

The cost, when finished, will be about $50,000. The flat will be modern and up-to-date in every respect. There will be hardwood floors, built-in wall beds, the latest in heating devices, and in the kitchens there will be installed modern sinks. Linoleum on the floors, gas stoves and other up-to-the-minute features will be installed, which will make the house a credit to the city.

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